

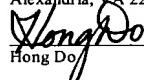
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Helmut Kinder § Group Art Unit: *unassigned*
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Serial No.: *unassigned* §
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Date Filed: May 4, 2005 §
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Title: Device and Method for the § Examiner: *unassigned*
Evaporative Deposition of a §
Coating Material §
§ Atty Docket No.: B31293US

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Commissioner:

Prior to substantive examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

1. No amendments to the Specification have been made.
2. Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2.
3. Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.